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While Boyle is reputed to have called on his relatives for money to buy stogies, Mrs. Boyle is said to be living in luxury. It is reported that rich relatives have deposited to her credit here \$1,000. No one but her attorney, it is said, knows where it came from, but it is taken as evidence of the truth of the report that she is from a prominent and wealthy family.

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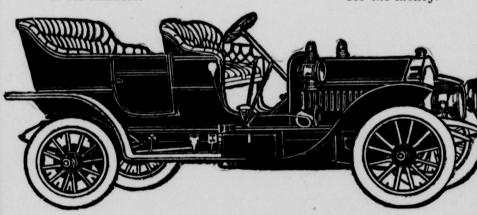
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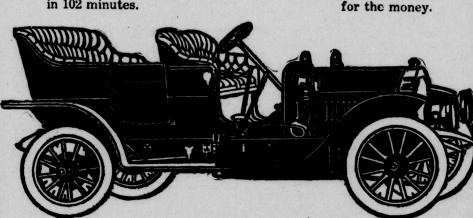
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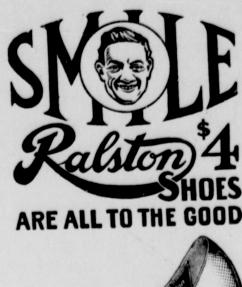
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Good Houses For Rent

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Japanese Trader Killed.

Melbourne, Australia, April 19.-Information has reached here that Captain Comino, a well known Japanese trader, has been killed by natives of the Admiralty islands.

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We offer one Funl ed Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co.. Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio, Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly up on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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Some redeeming quality about the third one, eh?" remarked a visitor. "Yes; he's already there."-London Telegraph.

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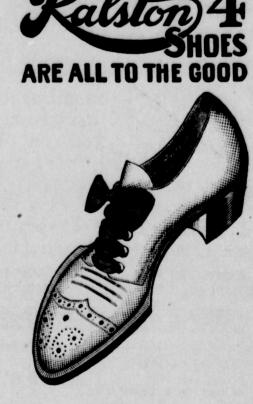
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We know of no shoes which offer you so much value for the money as RALSTON SHOES. We should like to show you what a fine varity we carry. One of our best sellers is the "Smile." It has a short forepart and high nob toe. It is strictly up-to-the-minute. Besides being a beauty, it's a splendid fitter. Let us prove it



That this last has an appropriate name—we are certain. It is one of the most comfortable

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Come in and let us show you how perfectly we can fit your feet.

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Brainerd, Minn

Act Quickly

and you'll save yourself a lot of suffering and trouble. If you have a sudden chill—or taken cold—if you have colic, cramp or diarrahoea, don't wait a minute. Take at once a teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painkiller in half a glass of hot water or milk. You'll be safe and on the rightroad to quick recovery. Then you'll escape serious illness. But you ought to have this tried and proven remedy on hand forimmediate use. Being prepared is half the battle when there's pain to subside. New size bottles 35c., also in 50 cent sizes.

Good Houses For Rent

717 N. Broadway, 5 rooms, \$10. 615 6th Ave. N. E., 6 rooms, \$12. Newly papered and painted, to be painted out-P. B. NETTLETON. 269 t3

Japanese Trader Killed. Melbourne, Australia, April 19.-Information has reached here that Captain Comino, a well known Japanese trader, has been killed by natives of

the Admiralty islands.

How's This? We offer one Funi ed Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. Walding, Kinnan & Marvin. Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio, Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly up on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Want City Property

A good quarter section of North Dakota land to trade for a six or seven room modern residence, must be in good repair. The Brainerd Arena, phone 79.

Proceedings in Bankruptcy

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In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Fifth Divison.

In the matter of Wallace F. Durham, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota: Wallace F. Durham of the City of Brainerd, in the County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota in said District, respectfully represents that on the 4th day of December, 190%, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1909.

WALLACE F. DURHAM, Bankrupt.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Fifth Division—ss.
On the 19th day of April, A. D. 1909, on reading the foregoing petition it is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1909, before the Court, at Duluth, in said District at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Brainerd Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

be granted.
Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof at Duluth, in said District, on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1909. CHARLES L. SPENCER, Clerk. By Thos. H. Pressnell, Deputy Clerk

Mob Wrecks a House.

Chapman, Neb., April 21.-As a result of feeling engendered at the recent municipality canvass and election here, a mob attacked the home of Justice of the Peace Alexander Stout. broke every window in the house and smashed the doors and wrecked part of the interior. Stout and his family were not injured.

Attacks Wife and Kills Himself. Janesville, Wis., April 21.-August Wick, an aged German farmer, committed suicide with carbolic acid after attempting to murder his wife. She will live.

"Those Joneses are a bad lot. Two of them at least ought to be in jail," said a suburbanite, referring to a family in his district.

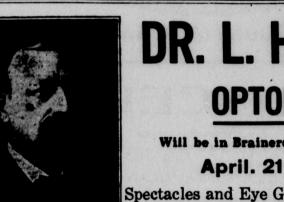
Some redeeming quality about the third one, eh?" remarked a visitor. "Yes; he's already there."-London Telegraph.

DR. JOSEPH NICHOLSON

O'Brien Block

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DR. L. H. BRUNS **OPTOMETRIST**

Will be in Brainerd, at the Ransford Hetel April. 21 and 22

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Grains, Stains, Varnishes ALL COLORS

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CHI-NAMEL will make your dirt-stained. soft-wood floors into hard-wood, any color, any grain, any width of boards, and close all cracks.

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Powder have been used in making bread, biscuit and cake in this country, and every housekeeper using it has rested in perfect confi-

dence that her food would be light, sweet, and perfectly wholesome. Royal is a safeguard against the cheap alum powders which are the greatest menacers to health of the present day.

ROYAL IS THE ONLY BAKING POWDER MADE FROM ROYAL GRAPE CREAM OF TARTAR

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"That's a rather curious looking paperweight," said one of Mr. Newlywed's friends, taking up a brownish object, round and about half an inch thick, from the desk.

"Yes," said Mr. Newlywed. "It's only a temporary one. It's my wife's first puff paste tart shell."

Rheumatism

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism! Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn bony growths back to flesh again. That is impossible. But I can now surely kill the pains and pangs of this deplorable disease.

In Germany—with a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made a perfected, dependable prescription. Without that last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism; but now, at last, it uniformly cures all curable cases of this heretofore much dreaded disease. Those sand-like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic Blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water And then, when dissolved, these poisonous wastes freely pass from the system, and the cause of Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real need—no actual excuse to suffer longer without help. We sell, and in confidence recommend

Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy

Actor Shot Dead by the Girl He Had Jilted.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 21.-Following closely on the heels of an an- been a long continued advance, the renouncement of the approaching mar- action is only natural," said the bulls. riage of Earl P. Adams, an actor and Brown, a well known young woman to whom Adams had been previously engaged, shot and killed him at her did not run away. home, where it is alleged Adams went riage to Miss Bagley.

Cooper Case Again Up.

Nashville, Tenn., April 21.-The motion for a new trial in the Cooper case will be argued before Judge Willhere today and the hearing will be Cooper and his son, Robin B. Cooper, headlong tumble. were convicted of the murder of for- Customers of the Patten house, mer United States Senator E. W. however, declared that there was possible and a couple shovel fulls of Carmack and sentenced to twenty nothing throughout the day to indiyears in the penitentiary.

Old Folks' Livers need an occasional stirring up to keep them from being constipated, bilious and generally run down. At the same time, the laxative must not be so violent as to shock the system and cause sinking and sickness. is the ideal treatment for old folks' livers-never fails to act, yet never shocks. A tonic as well as a laxative. Best for constipation, rheumatism, biliousness—any and all troubles of liver, stomach and bowels. Take an NR tablet tonight-you'll feel better in the morning. 55 Get a 25c Box For sale by M. K. Swartz

CONCERT

To be given by the CHOIR of the SEVENTH STREET NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH at WALKER'S HALL, WED-NESDAY EVENING APRIL 21

PROGRAM

Song-"Seek Ye the Lord".....Dr. L. V. Roberts, arr. by L. M. C. Recitation-"From a Far Country"..... Miss Hanson. Piano Duet-"Clayton's Grand March"..... Chas. D. Blake, Op. 188 Hannah Bye, Jennie Wilson.

Rev. Chas. Fox Davis. Piano Solo-"Silvery Waves"......Byman

Jennie Wilson. Vocal Solo—Selected.....

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Rev. M. L. Hostager.

Song-Selected..... Imperial Quartette, accompanied by Amy Rose.

Mrs. Maybelle Johnson.

Vocal Duet - "If Thine Eyes Shine Upon Me"..... Irene Cain, Myrtle Cain.

Violin Solo-"Fantasies"......Lefreychuly, Op. 86 Jennie Zakariasen, accompanied by Irene Wilson.

Song-Selected.....

Imperial Quartette, acccompanied by Amy Rose.

Vocal Duet-"Thy Will Be Done"......Jerome Maybelle Johnson, Rev. M. L. Hostager.

Recitation, "The Factory Chimney" Fern Grondin

· Choir.

BEAR RAID MADE

Considerable Confusion in the Chicago Market.

WITHOUT BULLS

Patten Did Not Come to the Relief of the Bulls, as They Had Expected. Traders and Enabled Shorts to Indulge in Profit Taking-Natural bly that it would look possible. Swing of Speculative Pendulum.

Chicago, April 21.-Bulls in wheat were leaderless during the day, and able confusion in the pit when July, closing at \$1.125%, showed a net loss

posed of at a higher figure.

"It's old mother earth warning Pat-KILLED BY OLD SWEETHEART ten et al. that Secretary Wilson knows something about crops himself," said

"It's just a natural swing of the speculative pendulum. There has

"Why didn't the Patten crowd supstage director of the Mabel Paige port the market?" was a question fre-Stock company, now playing here, to quently put by small speculators who Miss Elizabeth Bagley, Miss Jessie had pinned their faith to the Patten position and expected that the bull leader would take care that prices

"Because its none of Patten's busito explain to her his approaching mar ness," came the answer from the Patten aides. "He has a lot of wheat, Aams was shot several times and but he is not manipulating prices. He died almost instantly. Miss Brown knows that conditions will take care of the price. He has neither made nor unmade prices, and has no responsibility in the matter."

Whether Patten purchases were made is a matter for conjecture, aliam M. Hart in the criminal court port that the bull leader bought heavily at the decline and stopped July them in the crucible of his genius, subfinished Thursday. Colonel D. B. before it got beyond \$1.121/4 in its

> cate that the leading trader had taken any interest in the market. Apparently he left it to its fate, although his eyes seldom left the blackboard where quotations are marked up.

BUSINESS IN WASHINGTON

Will Prevent Stephenson Testifying at the Present Time.

States Senator Isaac Stephenson will not come to Madison to testify before the senatorial primary investigation committee at the present time.

sideration of the tariff legislation ment. We will attend to that. Make would keep him in Washington. The telegram was in response to a subpoena sent by special delivery letter summoning him to appear before the investigation committee.

Richard White, a Stephenson supporter, occupied the stand at the day's session. He told of a proposition made to a Democrat to assist in the nomination of Mr. Stephenson and said that it had been the custom for years for Democrats to assist in electing delegates and others.

White testified that La Follette promised him the appointment as United States marshal in case he was elected United States senator in 1904, but that the promise was not kept.

It developed during White's examination that a fake telegram was sent to Assemblyman Thomas F. Ramsey, a Democrat, on March 4, arranging a Republican, who was ill at his home in Fond du Lac county. Ramsey received the telegram and absented himself, as did two other Democrats during the vote in joint assembly, when Stephenson's election was effected.

Massachusetts Man Charged With Wife Murder.

Cambridge, Mass., April 21.-Chester S. Jordan was placed on trial here for the murder of his wife, Honora, in Somerville last September. The day was occupied in drawing the jury and reading the indictment, which charges that Jordan killed the woman, placed it in a trunk with the intention of throwing it into the sea. The twelve men who will decide the young man's fate will be taken to the different places which the government re-

Goes to Prison for Life.

Waterloo, Ia., April 21.-Last November Mike Halen of Oelwein got into a fight with a fellow citizen, George Bennett, and during the melee Bennett drunkingly told Halen he might as well kill him. Halen then butchered his adversary with a jackknife. Halen pleaded guilty to murder and Judge Hobson of West Union sentenced him to life imprisonment.

Peter Pert == Promiser.

A SATIRE-BY L. F. COLE.

A new exigency had arisen in the history of fraternal benefit societies. New conditions demand new men with enouge to redeem your promises. new talents. The need now was for a P. P. Why, have you noticed our man gifted in the art of making prom- reserve fund? We have paid every ises. Not an ordinary, vulgar, every loss and have something like \$800,000 day promiser, but a genius in the art— on hand. What do you think of that? a smooth promiser. The period when Mr. C. Reserve fund? You have the old, ugly, baseless, crude and bungling promises were accepted had of two things was required, namely:to make only such promises as could serve fund is ridiculous. You say that actually be carried out, or to promise impossible things so ingeniously that the promisee would think it could be serve fund is ridiculous. For say that "according to the experience of fraternal societies it is believed this reserve fund will keep the assessments Most any humdrum person could make promises capable of fulfillment, but it required superb natural the experience? The statement is false

Peter Pert was a promiser by both nature and art. His genius betrayed itself very early in his mundane career. Even pefore he was out of his cradle were leaderless during the day, and a dashing bear raid wrought consider-promiser. Many and many a time was there the calm and somnolent promise of a quiet night. But, alas, the fulfillment! In his boyhood he had the when you are collecting less than fifty knack of acquiring properties from his The raid weeded out small margined schoolmates on the basis of promisesby shorts, not to mention the reiningly framed, that the promises were so cunningly framed, that the promises more than half believed he had received due than half believed he had received due how to extricate himself he hardly mostly. And the singular thing about value for goods surrendered. Later in life when he went into business his commercial career was distinguished with the same sort of thing. It is perfectly astonishing how he could float his promises. There always seemed people who were willing to take them. It is true that when settling time came he could not "cash in." It is also true that he lost nothing, for the simple reason that he had nothing to lose. And the men who were the losers had a that. It don't belong to my departmystified sense that somehow or other ment anyhow. the thing should have worked and, that it did not was a commercial conundrum I know. Your total income amounts to which they could not solve and which about twenty-five million dollars. Alstain on his business escutcheon.

> was the very man they wanted. They five millions? needed a promiser. Peter Pert was a able, add a good big bunch of the imgel straight out of glory. Peter Pert
> - Promiser, could do this. They were
> confident that he could. So they created the office and installed him there-

romiser. It will be your duty to think up more things to promise. You will shoot these promises through with the Madison, Wis., April 21.-United colors of your own imagination. Make promises. Make glowing, brilliant, prismic promises. Make promises so enticing that thoughtless people will open their mouths, like fledglings in the nest, and swallow them whole. Mr. Stephenson wired Sargeant-at- Make promises. That is your func-Arms Falconer of the senate that con- tion. Never mind about their fulfill-

> Well might Peter Pert be envied his opportunity. To have a roll top desk, a stenographer and nothing to do but concoct promises. Here is his first

To John Doe, aged thirty-seven he says:-On your death I will pay your widow \$1.00. Should you loose foot hand or eye I will pay you \$250. Should you break an arm or leg I will pay you \$25 to \$50. Should you attain the age of seventy I will pay you \$100 for ten years. Now, John Doe, all you have to do to obtain these benefits is to pay us fifty-five cents a month. You will pay fifteen cents a month in addition to cover expense of running the society and your local dues of course; but fifty five cents is all you pay for the benefits I have named. And five cents of this amount is forever set aside for a "re-serve fund" and "according to the experience of fraternal societies it is be-lieved this reserve fund will keep the pair with Assemblyman Fenelon, a assessments so as to NEVER EXCEED

twelue in any one year."

John Doe bites. And John Doe is multiplied by one thousand, by ten thousand, by one hundred thousand. On January first about one hundred thousand John Does had swallowed the promises and the order had obligated. promises and the order had obligated itself to the tune of about one hundred and twenty five million dollars. The CHESTER JORDAN ON TRIAL attention of these members was constantly riveted on the Reserve Fund. If Peter Pert ever caught a member with a scratch pad on his knee, biting a pencil and figuring, the black winged bird of doubt casting a shadow over his features, he would immediately yell "look at our reserve fund \$800,000!" And the fellow would forget what he was trying to prove and go away with a sort of half satisfied look on his face.

One evening Peter Pert—Promiser, sat in his office alone. The blinds were and then, dismembering her body, drawn. The apartment was brilliantly lighted and gave evidence of a refined and luxurious taste. He was sunk deep in a beautiful chair and was a picture of self satisfied content. The smoke of a fine Havanna drifted in graceful ent places which the government regards as being the scene of some of the events in connection with the murder. Jordan appeared in good health and spirits.

Of a fine Havanna drifted in graceful circles toward the ceiling. There was a ring and, in response to a light-hearted in your and presented his card, at the same time offering an apology for intruding at a time when the Promiser was at most but instifying himself with was at rest; but justifying himself with the further statement that he wished his interview to be private. On the the card the Promiser read "Nathan F. Congers' and this startled him a little on account of its singular resemblance to National Fraternal Congress.
"Well, Mr. Congers, what can I do for you," said Peter, somewhat short-

Mr. Congers. It can't be done.
P. P. What is it that can't be done?
Mr. C. Why your benefit scheme.

P. P. Why not?

Mr. C. Reserve fund? You have not got a dollar of reserve fund. You have a small surplus due to low death The time now was when either rate and that due to recent medical selection. The claim that you have a reso as never to exceed twelve in any one year." Of what society is that Raid Weeded Out Small Margined gifts with subsequent high pressure and you know it is false. Who believes training to produce a promiser who that your alleged reserve fund will could promise the impossible so plausi- hold down the assessments to twelve a year? Not you nor any one else who thinks. Why if every one of your present one hundred thousand members were to pay twenty-four times a year on your present table of rates from this minute until the last one is dead you would not, even then, have money enough to pay off all your promises. Don't talk to me of reserve fund cents on the dollar of all your promises. Do you know what your promises to pay aggregate?"

knew: but replying to the question, said, "certainly I know. The aggregates about one hundred twenty five million dollars" million dollars.'

Mr. C. Do you know what the aggregate revenue from your entire membership will be during their entire lives reckoning on your present table of rates and at the average age of thirty-

left Peter Pert, in spite of all, with no lowing a very generous gain from interest it might possibly give you a total A fraternal benefit society had been of forty million dollars. With forty studying his abilities and watching his millions how do you propose to wipe career. They became satisfied that he out a debt of one hundred and twenty-

P. P. I don't propose to wipe out promiser of first class ability. They anything. It is not my business to would create a new office in the order wipe out. It is my business to make and fill it with this man. He should promises. To make promises that will thereby become a member of the gov. go. And I have. Haven't I? Look thereby become a member of the governing board. The title of his office should be "Supreme Promiser." It They have accepted my promises and should be his duty to take effete plans, their eyes stick out with admiration exploded propositions, impossible every time they think of that reserve schemes, wrong-end-to methods, put fund. Who are you anyway? I think I have heard of you before. You are mit them to the fire of his diuine art, the fellow who goes round knocking drop in a hand-full or so of the improbthe efforts of genuine philanthropists, like myself. You are a musty theorist. You are a two-legged hypothesis. You of the fradulent, then combine and re- are a guess. You are an animated The proceeds of this exhibition combine until the finished product commutation table. You are in cahoots would look as honest and fair as an an- with these fellows they call Actuaries And the modest Mr. Congers made

his obeisance and retired. What was in, a part of the installation ceremony he in the presence of such vast genius? Genius likes to justify itself, particu-"I am about to install you as the larly in its own opinion. So after the first incumbent of the office of Supreme departure of Mr. Congers Peter Pert-Promiser fell into a solllogy and, as he soliloquized aloud, I can tell you how it

The old stupid! The very idea of reckoning up our debts and placing them over against our assets! That might be all very well for banks and factories, and such; but fraternal benefit societies are different. Why we issue contracts some of which we will not have to pay off for fifty years. The idea of looking ahead flfty years! Who ever heard of such a thing? That old curmudgeon would actually have us prepare to pay off that contract when it matures lifty years ahead. How very amusing! Pay present losses, I say. Devil ketch the hindmost. If a man is fool enough to live fifty years longer he is not entitled to anything. Die quick and get your money, says I. Of course those who live the longest will pay the most for we expect them to keep on paying as a sort of punishment for living. An they will get the least. The least? Well they won't get anything. I guess that is "least" enough. That is so far away, though, they do not see it. They don't see it NOW anyway. You can't see it NOW anyway. You can't see it without thinking a little. And these people don't think. Suppose I am going to think for them? Not me. I am the Promiser. I just think enough to promise. Thinking is awkward business, anyhow. We don't want people to think. It would spoil our society. All we want is for them to shut their eves we want is for them to shut their eyes and open their mouths. We will do the rest. And that is what they do. O, they pay, too, of course. If you don't believe it look at that one hundred thousand putting in forty millions, as that old duffer said (and I guess he was was right, too) and expecting to pull out one hundred twenty-five millions. Somebody is going to get left; but so long as each fellow thinks it is the other one, my job is secure. So I think I will promise a little more, require a little less and push on for another one hundred thousand members.

So between these agreeable medita-tions and the soothing influence of his fragrant havana he drops off into a gentle doze.

AFTER WORD

The foregoing is an attempt to characterize, by the use of satire, the operations of a certain Fraternal Benefit Society which operates on a totally deficient rate. The average age of its membership on Jan. 1st, 1908, was 36.98 years. The insurance rate fixed for that age is fifty-five cents, or \$6.60 per year. The National Fraternal Congress table of rates gives, for that age, a rate of \$1.49 per month; or \$17.88 per year. This rate is declared by the leading insurance actuaries of America and by the laws of some fifteen states, including the state of Minnesota, to be a safe minimum "level rate" for whole life insurance. That is to say it is a rate below which no society can conduct a whole life insurance business to a successful termination, It is a 'net mortality rate' and contains no pro-vision for the expenses of the society

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The UNITED ORDER of FOREST-ERS conducts its whole life insurance on the basis of the National Fraternal

Congress rates. It is up to the intelligence of the citizens of Minnesota to discriminate between societies so cheap that they can by no possibility keep their promises and societies doing business on a rate which will enable them P. P. Why not?
Mr. C. Because you do not collect ture. The time is past when there was any need of experimenting with rates. Join the UNITED ORDER of FOR-ESTERS and you have a right to believe that you will thereby establish a rate which will remain level thru life. L. F. COLE,

State Organizer.

To Awaken the Liver

Coated tongue, aching head, biliousness, Indigestion, constipation alternating with looseness of the bowels, feelings of depression and These arise from sluggish torpid action of

the liver. Relief comes after the use of one of Dr. A.

W. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills and cure with a few weeks' use of this great regulator of the liver. With the liver right there is usually no

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FOR RENT-Nine room house for boarding house. Inquire 201 Main St.

FOR RENT-Two office rooms in the Cullen block. Inquire of Ed. Cullen.

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Actor Shot Dead by the Girl He Had

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to explain to her his approaching mar-

Aams was shot several times and

died almost instantly. Miss Brown

Cooper Case Again Up.

tion for a new trial in the Cooper

case will be argued before Judge William M. Hart in the criminal court

here today and the hearing will be finished Thursday. Colonel D. B.

were convicted of the murder of for-

Carmack and sentenced to twenty

years in the penitentiary.

Nashville, Tenn., April 21.-The mo-

riage to Miss Bagley.

was arrested.

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Song-"Seek Ye the Lord".....Dr. L. V. Roberts, arr. by L. M. C.

Recitation-"From a Far Country"

Miss Hanson.

Piano Duet-"Clayton's Grand March"..... Chas. D. Blake, Op. 188

Hannah Bye, Jennie Wilson.

Vocal Solo—Selected.....

Rev. Chas. Fox Davis.

Piano Solo-"Silvery Waves"......Byman

Jennie Wilson.

Vocal Solo—Selected.....

Rev. M. L. Hostager.

Imperial Quartette, accompanied by Amy Rose.

Mrs. Maybelle Johnson.

Vocal Duet - "If Thine Eyes Shine Upon Me".....

Irene Cain, Myrtle Cain.

Violin Solo-"Fantasies"......Lefreychuly, Op. 86

Jennie Zakariasen, accompanied by Irene Wilson.

Song -- Selected

Imperial Quartette, acccompanied by Amy Rose.

Vocal Duet—"Thy Will Be Done"......Jerome

Maybelle Johnson, Rev. M. L. Hostager.

Recitation, "The Factory Chimney"

Fern Grondin

· Choir.

than Pills for Liver

Jacksonville, Fla., April 21.-Follow-

WITHOUT A LEADER Patten Did Not Come to the Relief of the Bulls, as They Had Expected. Raid Weeded Out Small Margined Traders and Enabled Shorts to Indulge in Profit Taking-Natural

> Swing of Speculative Pendulum. Chicago, April 21.-Bulls in wheat were leaderless during the day, and a dashing bear raid wrought considerable confusion in the pit when July, closing at \$1.12%, showed a net loss

Chicago Market.

of 3% @ 34 c. The raid weeded out small margined traders, enabled a lot of profit taking by shorts, not to mention the rein-

statement of long lines previously disposed of at a higher figure. "It's old mother earth warning Patten et al. that Secretary Wilson knows something about crops himself," said

the bears. "It's just a natural swing of the speculative pendulum. There has been a long continued advance, the reaction is only natural," said the bulls.

"Why didn't the Patten crowd support the market?" was a question fre-Stock company, now playing here, to quently put by small speculators who Miss Elizabeth Bagley, Miss Jessie did not run away.

"Because its none of Patten's business," came the answer from the Patten aides. "He has a lot of wheat, but he is not manipulating prices. He knows that conditions will take care of the price. He has neither made nor unmade prices, and has no responsibility in the matter."

Whether Patten purchases were Cooper and his son, Robin B. Cooper, headlong tumble.

Customers of the Patten house, mer United States Senator E. W. however, declared that there was nothing throughout the day to indicate that the leading trader had taken any interest in the market. Apparently he left it to its fate, although his eyes seldom left the blackboard where quotations are marked up.

Will Prevent Stephenson Testifying at the Present Time.

Madison, Wis., April 21.-United States Senator Isaac Stephenson will not come to Madison to testify before the senatorial primary investigation committee at the present time.

Mr. Stephenson wired Sargeant-at-Arms Falconer of the senate that consideration of the tariff legislation ment. We will attend to that. Make would keep him in Washington. The telegram was in response to a subpoena sent by special delivery letter summoning him to appear before the investigation committee.

Richard White, a Stephenson supporter, occupied the stand at the day's

United States marshal in case he was elected United States senator in 1904, but that the promise was not kept.

It developed during White's examination that a fake telegram was sent to Assemblyman Thomas F. Ramsey, a Democrat, on March 4, arranging a pair with Assemblyman Fenelon, a Republican, who was ill at his home in Fond du Lac county. Ramsey received the telegram and absented himself, as did two other Democrats during the vote in joint assembly, when Stephenson's election was effected.

CHESTER JORDAN ON TRIAL

Massachusetts Man Charged With Wife Murder.

Cambridge, Mass., April 21.-Chester S. Jordan was placed on trial here for the murder of his wife, Honora, in Somerville last September. The day was occupied in drawing the jury and reading the indictment, which charges that Jordan killed the woman, and then, dismembering her body, placed it in a trunk with the intention man's fate will be taken to the different places which the government regards as being the scene of some of

Goes to Prison for Life.

Waterloo, Ia., April 21.-Last November Mike Halen of Oelwein got into a fight with a fellow citizen, George Bennett, and during the melee Bennett drunkingly told Halen he might as well kill him. Halen then butchered his adversary with a jackknife. Halen pleaded guilty to murder and Judge Hobson of West Union sentenced him to life imprisonment.

Peter Pert==Promiser.

A SATIRE-BY L. F. COLE.

A new exigency had arisen in the history of fraternal benefit societies. New conditions demand new men with New conditions demand new men with new talents. The need now was for a man gifted in the art of making promises. Not an ordinary, vulgar, every day promiser, but a genius in the artasmooth promiser. The period when the old, ugly, baseless, crude and bungling promises were accepted had gone. The time now was when either of two things was required, namely:— Considerable Confusion in the of two things was required, namely:—
to make only such promises as could actually be carried out, or to promise impossible things so ingeniously that the promisee would think it could be the promisee would think it could be the promise would b done. Most any humdrum person could make promises capable of fulfillment, but it required superb natural gifts with subsequent high pressure training to produce a promiser who could promise the impossible so plausically and the experience assessments so as never to exceed twelve in any one year." Of what society is that the experience? The statement is false and you know it is false. Who believes that your alleged reserve fund will be a second to the impossible so plausically and the could be assessments and you know it is false. could promise the impossible so plausi-bly that it would look possible.

there the calm and somnolent promise of a quiet night. But, alas, the fulfiillment! In his boyhood he had the knack of acquiring properties from his schoolmates on the basis of promises—mostly. And the singular thing about it was that the promises were so cunningly framed, that the promises more than half believed he had received due value for goods surrendered. Later in value for goods surrendered. Later in life when he went into business his commercial career was distinguished commercial career was distinguished with the same sort of thing. It is perfectly astonishing how he could float his promises. There always seemed people who were willing to take them. It is true that when settling time came he could not "cash in." It is also true that he lost nothing, for the simple reason that he had nothing to lose. And the men who were the losers had a muetified sense that somehow or other gate is about one hundred twenty five million dollars."

Mr. C. Do you know what the aggregate revenue from your entire membership will be during their entire lives reckoning on your present table of rates and at the average age of thirty-seven?

P.P. Why, no; I had not figured that. It don't belong to my department anyhow. mystified sense that somehow or other ment anyhow quently put by small speculators who had pinned their faith to the Patten it did not was a commercial conundrum I know. Your total income amounts to position and expected that the bull leader would take care that prices which they could not solve and which leader would take care that prices left Peter Pert, in spite of all, with no lowing a very generous gain from instain on his business escutcheon.

A fraternal benefit society had been studying his abilities and watching his was the very man they wanted. They needed a promiser. Peter Pert was a promiser of first class ability. They would create a new office in the order and fill it with this man. He should thereby become a manufacture that the creation out a debt of one hundred and twenty-five millions?

P. P. I don't propose to wipe out anything. It is not my business to wipe out. It is my business to make promises. To make promises that will thereby become a member of the govdrop in a hand-full or so of the improbable, add a good big bunch of the impossible and a couple shovel fulls of of the fradulent, then combine and recombine until the finished product would look as honest and fair as an angel straight out of glory. Peter Pert—Promiser, could do this. They were confident that he could. So they created the office and installed him there are designed by the finished product with these fellows they call Actuaries and I hate the whole push of them. I think our interview is at an end.

And the modest Mr. Congers made bis choiceness and retired whether the congers made by the fillow who goes round knocking the fellow who goes round knocking the fellow who goes round knocking the efforts of genuine philanthropists, like myself. You are a musty theorist. You are a guess. You are an animated commutation table. You are in cahoots with these fellows they call Actuaries and I hate the whole push of them. I think our interview is at an end. ated the office and installed him there- his obeisance and retired. What was

being as follows:
"I am about to install you as first incumbent of the office of Supreme Promiser. It will be your duty to think up more things to promise. You will shoot these promises through with the ran. colors of your own imagination. Make promises. Make glowing, brilliant, prismic promises. Make promises so enticing that thoughtless people will open their mouths, like fledglings in the nest, and swallow them whole. Make promises. That is your function. Never mind about their fulfillment. We will attend to that Make

Well might Peter Pert be envied his opportunity. To have a roll top desk, a stenographer and nothing to do but concoct promises. Here is his first

To John Doe, aged thirty-seven he says:—On your death I will pay your widow \$1.00. Should you loose foot session. He told of a proposition made to a Democrat to assist in the nomination of Mr. Stephenson and said that it had been the custom for years for Democrats to assist in electing delegates and others.

White testified that La Follette promised him the appointment as United States marshal in case he was

Widow \$1.00. Should you loose foot hand or eye I will pay you \$250. Should you break an arm or leg I will pay you \$250. Should you attain the age of seventy I will pay you \$100 for ten years. Now, John Doe, all you have to do to obtain these benefits is to pay us fifty-five cents a month. You will pay the most for we expect them to keep on paying as a sort of punishment for living. An they will get the least. The least? Well they won't get anything. I guess that is "least" enough. That is so far away, though, they do not see it. They don't see it and your local dues of course; but fifty five cents is all you pay for the benefits
I have named. And five cents of this amount is forever set aside for a "reserve fund" and "according to the experience of fraternal societies it is believed this reserve fund will keep the assessments so as to NEVER EXCEED

twelue in any one year."

John Doe bites. And John Doe is multiplied by one thousand, by ten thousand, by one hundred thousand. On January first about one hundred thousand John Does had swallowed the promises and the order had obligated. promises and the order had obligated itself to the tune of about one hundred and twenty five million dollars. The attention of these members was constantly riveted on the Reserve Fund. If Peter Pert ever caught a member with a scratch pad on his knee, biting a pencil and figuring, the black winged bird of doubt casting a shadow over his features, he would immediately yell "look at our reserve fund—\$800,000!" And the fellow would forget what he was trying to prove and go away with was trying to prove and go away with a sort of half satisfied look on his face.

One evening Peter Pert—Promiser, sat in his office alone. The blinds were drawn. The apartment was brilliantly lighted and gave evidence of a refined of throwing it into the sea. The twelve men who will decide the young in a beautiful chair and was a picture of self satisfied content. The smoke of a fine Havanna drifted in graceful circles toward the ceiling. There was gards as being the scene of some of the events in connection with the murder. Jordan appeared in good health and spirits.

Goes to Prison for Life.

Circles toward the celling. There was a ring and, in response to a light-hearted invitation, a plain, little old man entered and presented his card, at the same time offering an apology for intruding at a time when the Promiser was at rest; but justifying himself with the further statement, that he wished the further statement that he wished his interview to be private. On the the card the Promiser read "Nathan F. Congers" and this startled him a little on account of its singular resemblance

to National Fraternal Congress.
"Well, Mr. Congers, what can I do
for you," said Peter, somewhat short-

Mr. Congers. It can't be done. P. P. What is it that can't be done? P. P. What is it that can't be done Mr. C. Why your benefit scheme.

P. P. Why not? Mr. C. Because you do not collect enouge to redeem your promises.

Peter Pert was a promiser by both nature and art. His genius betrayed itself very early in his mundane career. Even pefore he was out of his cradle his mother got hints of his ability as a promiser. Many and many a time was there the calm and somnolent promise hold down the assessments to twelve a money enough to pay off all your promises. Don't talk to me of reserve fund

how to extricate himself he hardly knew: but replying to the question, said, "'certainly I know. The aggregate is about one hundred twenty five million dollars.'

lowing a very generous gain from in-terest it might possibly give you a total of forty million dollars. With forty studying his abilities and watching his career. They became satisfied that he out a debt of one hundred and twenty-

promises. To make promises that will go. And I have. Haven't I? Look erning board. The title of his office should be "Supreme Promiser." It They have accepted my promises and made is a matter for conjecture, although there was an unconfirmed report that the bull leader bought heavily at the decline and stopped July before it got beyond \$1.12¼ in its should be "Supreme Promiser." It should be "Supreme Promiser." It should be is duty to take effete plans, exploded propositions, impossible schemes, wrong-end-to methods, put them in the crucible of his genius, submit them to the fire of his diuine art, the fellow who goes round knocking the offerts of genuine philanthropists.

> And the modest Mr. Congers made in, a part of the installation ceremony he in the presence of such vast genius? Genius likes to justify itself, particularly in its own opinion. So after the departure of Mr. Congers Peter Pert-Promiser fell into a solilogy and, as he soliloguized aloud, I can tell you how it on Wednesday, April 22.

The old stupid! The very idea of reckoning up our debts and placing them over against our assets! That might be all very well for banks and factories, and such; but fraternal benefit societies are different. Why we issue contracts some of which we will not have to pay off for fifty years. The idea of looking ahead fifty years! Who ever heard of such a thing? That old curmudgeon would actually have us prepare to pay off that contract when it matures tifty years ahead. How very amusing! Pay present losses, I say. Devil ketch the hindmost. If a

man is fool enough to live fifty years longer he is not entitled to anything. enough. That is so far away, though, they do not see it. They don't see it NOW anyway. You can't see it without thinking a little. And these people don't think. Suppose I am going to think for them? Not me. I am the Promiser. I just think enough to promise. Thinking is awkward business, anyhow. We don't want people to think. It would spoil our society. All we want is for them to shut their eyes we want is for them to shut their eyes and open their mouths. We will do the rest. And that is what they do. O, they pay, too, of course. If you don't believe it look at that one hundred thousand putting in forty millions, as that old duffer said (and I guess he was was right, too) and expecting to pull out one hundred them they are the said to the said that old duffer said (and I guess he was was right, too) and expecting to pull out one hundred them to the said (and I guess he was was right, too) and expecting to pull out one hundred them to the said (and I guess he was was right, too) and expecting to pull out one hundred them to the said (and I guess he was was right, too) and expecting to pull out one hundred them to the said that is what they do. O, they pay, too, of course. If you don't believe it look at that one hundred the said (and I guess he was was right, too) and expecting to pull out one said (and I guess he was was right, too) and expecting to pull out one said (and I guess he was was right). out one hundred twenty-five millions. Somebody is going to get left; but so long as each fellow thinks it is the other one, my job is secure. So I think I will promise a little more, require a little less and push on for another one hundred thousand members.

So between these agreeable meditations and the soothing influence of his fragrant havana he drops off into a gentle doze.

AFTER WORD

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L. F. COLE,
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